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Dearborn Physician Summarily Suspended

For Immediate Release – The Michigan Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs (LARA) has suspended the Michigan license to practice medicine of Fitzgerald Anthony Hudson, M.D., of Dearborn, Michigan, after his felony conviction in the United States District Court, Western District of New York.

On June 3, 2013, Hudson was convicted of one felony count of Health Care Fraud. Hudson was sentenced to incarceration for a period of 24 months, followed by three years supervised release and ordered to pay restitution in the amount of \$227,548.35. The conviction was based on Hudson's false application for medical staff appointment that resulted in Hudson being granted privileges at Jones Memorial Hospital (New York) and receiving payments from healthcare benefits programs, including Medicare and BlueCross BlueShield of Western New York.

On January 2, 2014, LARA issued an order summarily suspending Hudson's license pursuant to the Public Health Code which provides for the mandatory suspension of a health professional upon the conviction of a felony.

For more information on disciplinary actions taken by the health professional licensing boards within LARA, please go to http://www.michigan.gov/healthlicense, and click on Licensing for Health Professionals.

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